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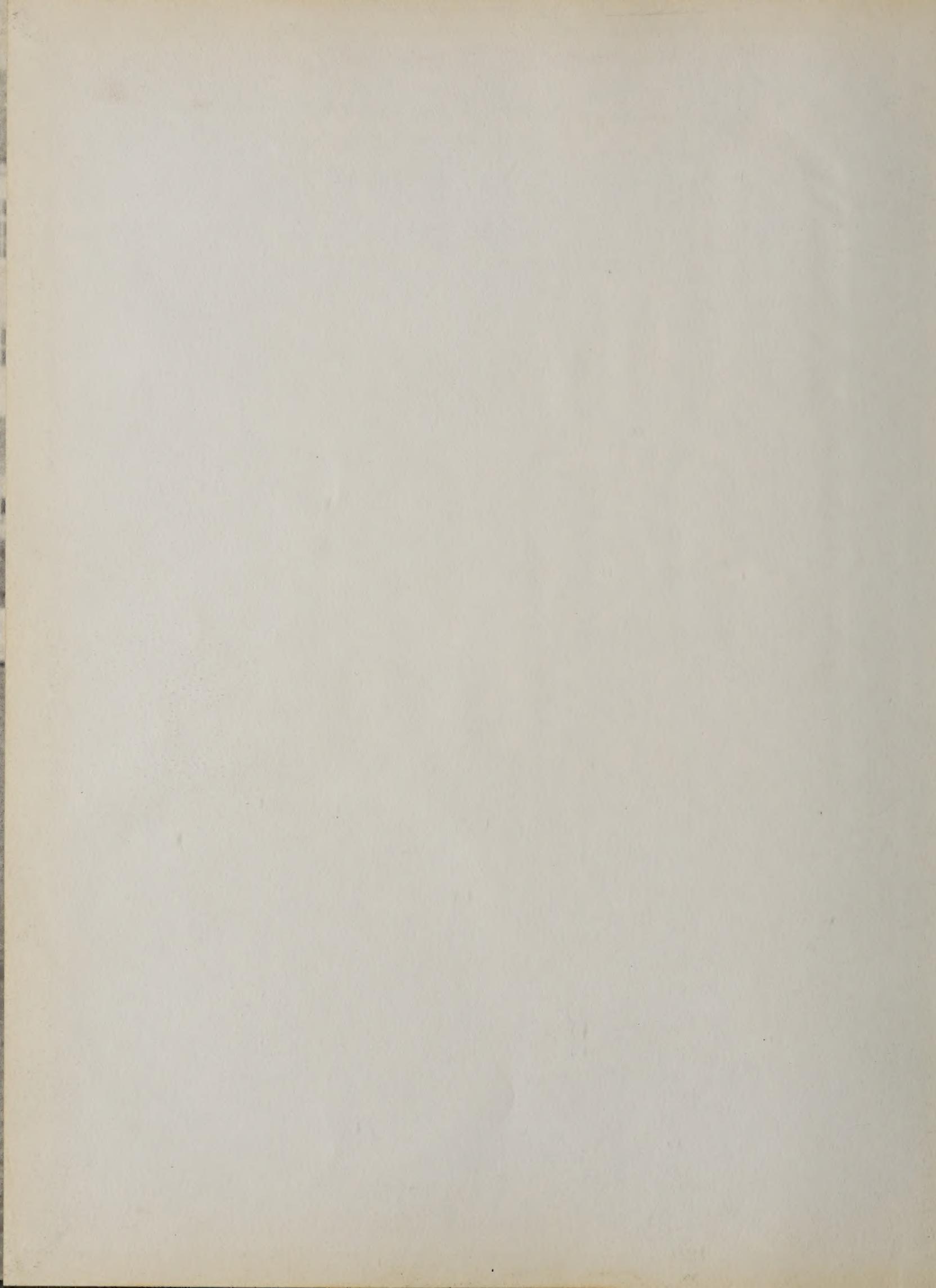
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PRESENTS . . .

LIFE AT WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE





WHERE . . .

WE STUDY . . .





WE PLAY...

WE WORK...



Clean-up time



Dishing it out



Busting Suds

You call this typing?





WE WORSHIP...

WE CHEER ...





AND WE REST.

IT'S FRIENDLY.





IT'S LONESOME...

IT'S WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE IN



THE HEART OF THE MAGIC VALLEY



Dedication

Through the years, the State of West Virginia has grown with the times, and the nation, leaving behind a historical past that lives within the heart of everyone. From this state has come many political figures. In resources, it produces one of the nations most important fuels — coal. In the field of education, it has produced the best for students of all states of our country. Not just for our benefit, but for students of foreign countries as well. We are very proud to say that West Virginia State College is a product of this state.

On the inside cover are nine students, from various states, each here for a purpose. Behind them can be seen the Administration Building. Here is where they toil and struggle with some of the greatest people in the world — our instructors. As they walk down the campus, the trees surround them, and the grass parts beneath their feet. Could this aspect of beauty be possible without the faithful work of our maintenance crew? They too, are a part of our family. We salute them for their service to the school and the students.

Our family here at State has always been friendly, and considerate of their alma mater since its very inception. Because of the great interest that our instructors have for the students, and the knowledge and wisdom that they instill within our minds, the students cannot help but go into the world exemplifying manhood and womankind, self respect, and high moral character which is found in the students of West Virginia State College.

Because of these and many more high ideals that are found here in our family, we dedicate this annual to the State, the institution, faculty, employees of the school, and to the student himself. We, the members of the Arch, salute you.



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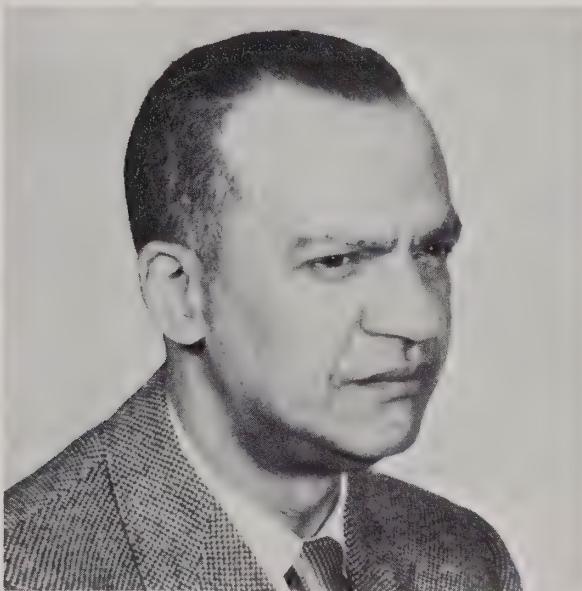


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The Women's Senate is composed of representatives of the college, working closely with the faculty advisors to maintain social standards among young women and encouraging the development of charm, poise and dignity.





MEN'S SENATE

The Men's Senate consists of representatives of the college organizations who work together to encourage rapport among men.



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THE PURPOSE OF THE HALL COUNCILS IS TO CREATE A BETTER RELATIONSHIP AMONG STUDENTS . . .

HILL HALL COUNCIL





DAWSON HALL COUNCIL

... AND IRON OUR DIFFICULTIES.

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SOCIAL COMMITTEE

The Social Committee unites to plan wholesome activities for all the students. Their biggest event of the year is the All-College Prom with scores of other wonderful events of the year.





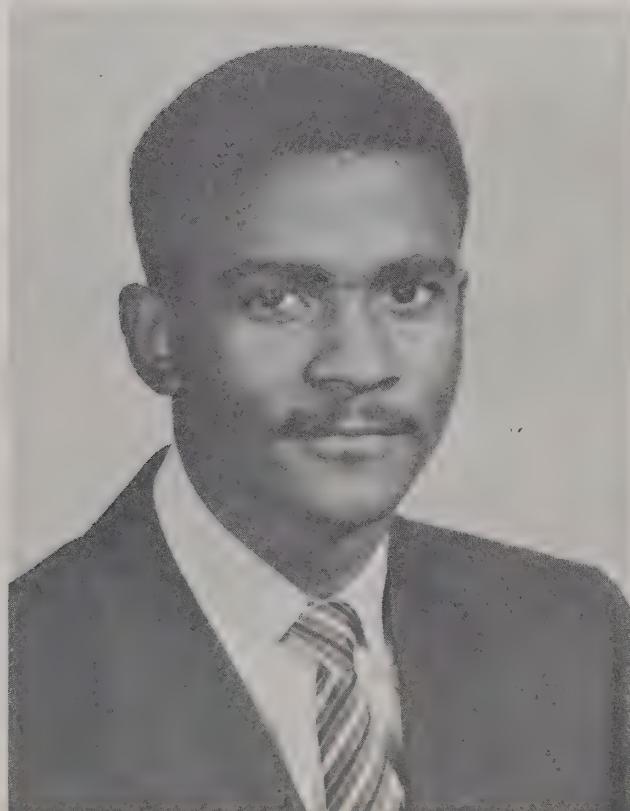
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How hard we worked!! Oh, no, we aren't complaining because truthfully, we really enjoyed it. Of course, it wasn't all fun because our headaches were many.

Oh, well, no use complaining because with the aid of aspirins, we managed to pull through. (Or did we?)



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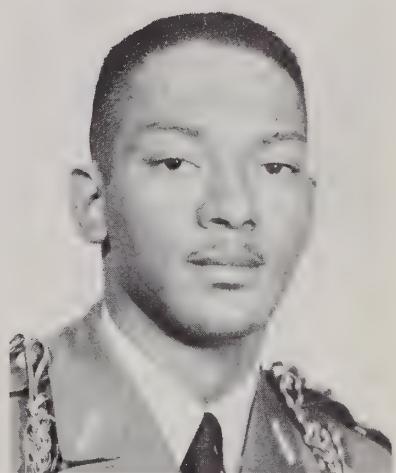
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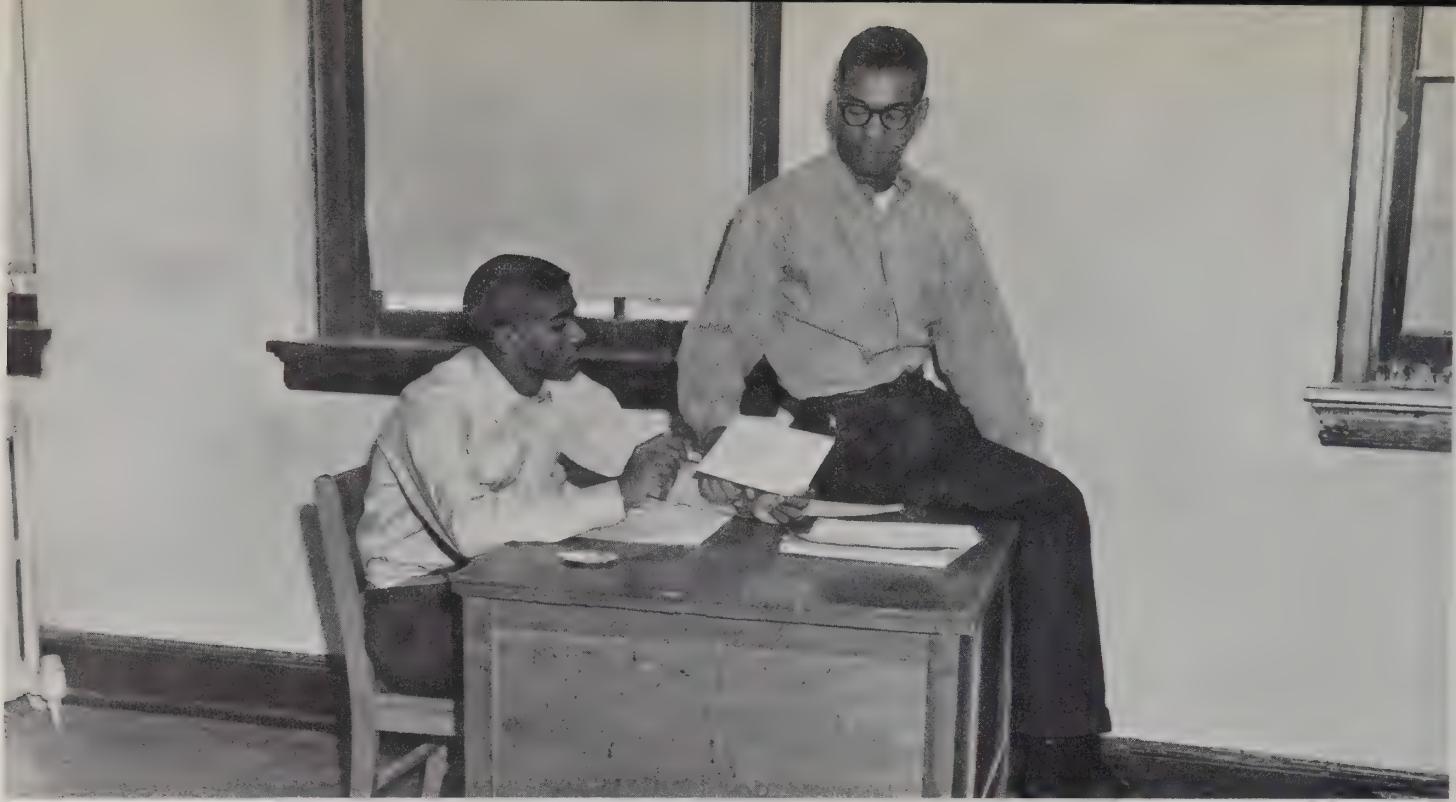
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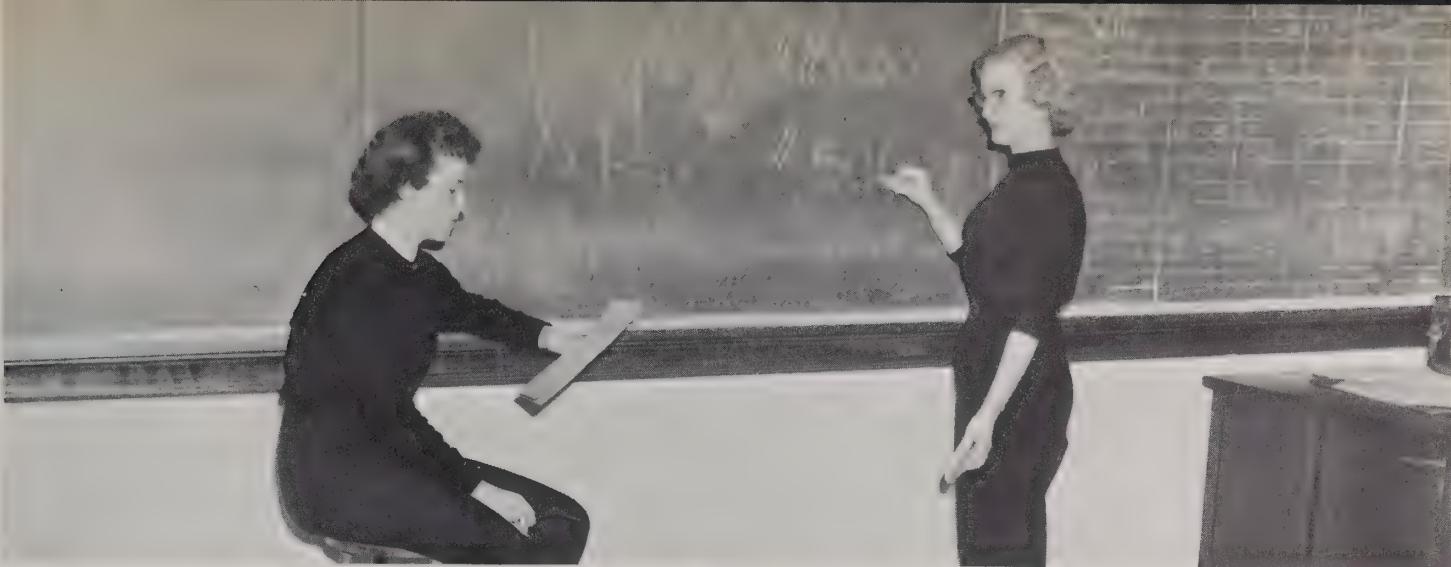
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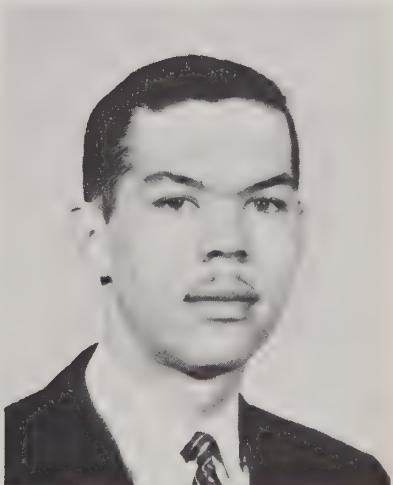
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DONNA JOHNS

Donna Johns Reigns as Band Queen

The queen of the West Virginia State College band was crowned at the Coronation Ball on Friday evening, February 21. She is Miss Donna Jo Johns. The other candidates who served as her attendants were Madlyn White, Francetta Gore, Ellerica Moats, Marian Perry, and Phyllis Smoot.

The band sponsored the contest to raise money for a band scholarship fund and needed band equipment. Those who bought a vote for their favorite contestant received a ticket to the Coronation Ball. The ball was a very gala affair with the music of the "West Virginia State Collegians" who made their first appearance as the college dance band. The auditorium of Fleming Hall was decorated in a musical theme. Flowers were arranged in the center of the floor and were later made into an aisle for the queen's procession which included an honor guard of two members of the Pershing Rifles. The queen's attendants were escorted by officers and section leaders of the band, James Gilliam, Raymond Campbell, Hershell Watkins, Leo Arrington, and Vernon Hawkins. Miss Johns was escorted to her throne, which was draped in white and surrounded with flowers and palms, by Fred Hodo, president of the band, who presented her with a large bouquet of white flowers. She was crowned by the band director, Mr. Leon Thompson, and was presented a gift certificate with which she bought a suit and accessories. The attendants were each given a bracelet and a lace linen handkerchief. The gifts were carried by William Carter, and Ruth Lipscomb carried the crown and flowers. They are members of the Junior Band. Miss Johns will travel with the band on their concert tour this spring.

NOTICE

Members of the senior class wishing to purchase a senior class ring for the 1957-58 school year should contact Harry Wolford in the Yellow Jacket office between the hours of 10:00 and 11:00 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Terms can be arranged.

"International Review" Forecast

The office of the foreign student advisors has announced that plans are being made for an "International Review" to be presented on Saturday, March 29, at 7:30 p.m. in the college auditorium. The show will include songs, skits, and dances by foreign and American students of West Virginia State College. The purpose of the show is to raise funds for a foreign student scholarship and loan fund.

Archonians Present 'Fog'

The Archonian Club presented Nuenburg's "Fog" in chapel on Friday, March 7. The cast included Gloria Johnson as an elderly woman, Florence Harris as a middleaged woman and Ellarica Moots as a young woman.

As the play opened a dense fog had delayed the arrival of a plane. Three women waited tensely, hoping and praying that a safe landing could be effected. Each was waiting for the one closest to her heart—a mother for her son whom she hadn't seen in years, a wife for her husband who had left

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James Kelly, Jr. Dean of men at the college and coordinator of the religious activities lists the following events as a part of the schedule for the week: An hour for the skeptics, classroom presentations, dramatic readings by West Virginia State College Players and Mimes form "Murder in the Cathedral" by T. S. Eliot; Panel discussions, personal conferences, reception at the home of the college president, sack luncheon discussions and recreational periods.

Among principal speakers to appear are: Rev. Bob Gay, minister of the Glenville Presbyterian Church in Glenville. He received his A. B. from Davidson College in North Carolina, the B.D. from the Union Theological Seminary in Richmond, Virginia and was an exchange student of the in Montpelier, France. His ex-

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her earlier for another, and a young girl for her fiance. The women, during the long, emotionally exhausting wait, exchanged confidences. The plane landed. One passenger was aboard—a man.

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perience includes: minister of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Richmond, minister of the South Williamson Presbyterian Church in Virginia and minister of the Amelia Presbyterian Church also of Virginia.

Dr. Charles H. Foggie, minister of the Wesley Center A.M.E. Church in Pittsburgh, received his A.B. and D.D. degrees from Livingstone College in Salisbury, North Carolina and the A.M. in Sociology, S.T.B. and the S.T.M. from Boston University. His experiences include: minister of the A.M.E. Zion Churches in Providence, R.I. and Boston and Cambridge, Massachusetts. He attended the Ecumenical Conference in Oxford, England in 1951.

Dr. William Augustus Barker is a professor of philosophy at Howard University, Washington, D.C. He received the A.B. from Pennsylvania State University; he holds B.D. from Yale University, A.M. from Harvard and Ph.D. degrees from Harvard and Oxford Universities. He has served as visiting professor of Christian ethics at Yale University and honorary fellow of National Council on Religion in Higher Education.

Mrs. Dorothy Talbott is director of Christian Education, Christ Church Methodist in Portsmouth, Virginia; Lee Revels, Bishop; Virginia and Antonia of Emory and Henry College, Gaal, St. Albans.

Emory, Virginia. Her experiences include: directorships of youth work at First Methodist Church in Harrisonburg, Virginia; Christian Education Bland Street, Bluefield and Youth Fellowship in Charles-

ton, Virginia Street Temple, Charleston; Rev. John H. Woods, Minister, Simpson Methodist Church, Charleston; Dr. William J. L. Wallace, President, West Virginia State College; Father Roy Lombard, Pastor, Christ the King Church, Dunbar; Father Charles Taylor, Vicar, St. James Episcopal Church and Chaplain of Canterbury House; Rev. W. Cecil Shepherd, Minister, Humphrey's Memorial Methodist Church, Dunbar; Rev. R. W. Cunningham, Minister, The Institute Church of the Nazarene; Mr. Keith Smith, Kanawha Valley Unitarian Fellowship, South Charleston; and Rev. John Heller, Minister, St. Paul Lutheran Church, St. Albans.

Among the student leaders are: Mr. Robert Willis, Joseph Pent, and John Waggy, Jr., Charleston; Lewis Myers, Washington, D. C.; Joan Lee, Nitro; Thomas Beamon, Portsmouth, Virginia; Lee Revels, Bishop; Virginia and Antonia of Emory and Henry College, Gaal, St. Albans.

Westminister Choir Sings . . .

The world-famous Westminister Choir appeared as the third attraction of West Virginia State College 1957-58 Artist Series on Sunday evening, March 9 at 8:00 o'clock in the college auditorium.

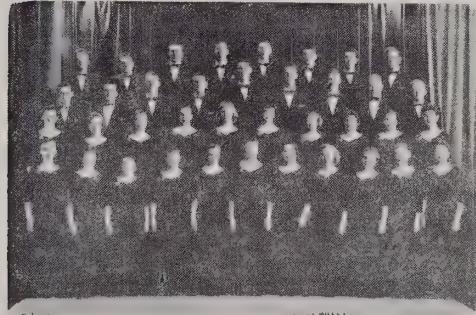
The current tour of this dis-

tinguished concert group has twice toured Europe and has recently returned from its first tour of Asia. It has made 190 orchestral appearances in the last 17 years with symphony orchestras including the Philadelphia, New York Philharmonic, NBC Symphony of the Air, the Rochester Philharmonic, The Baltimore Symphony and others throughout the United States, under the direction of such conductors as Toscanini, Bruno Walter, Ormandy, Stokowski, Mieisch, Mitropoulos, Rodzinski, Rachmaninoff and Cantelli.

The Westminister Choir was first organized to serve as the volunteer choir of the Westminister Presbyterian Church of Dayton, Ohio. Though the choir retains the name it had in its affiliation with this church, it is no longer a church choir but the touring concert unit of Westminister Choir

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The program includes early church music by Palestrina, Bach, Lotti, Byrd and Fivaldi, secular items by Grieg, Di Lasso, Mozart and Handel. Randall Thompson's "The Testament of Freedom" (Nos 1-4) and a choral arrangement of Handy's "Saint Louis Blues" was performed as well as Avery Robinson's "Water Boy," "Set Down Servant" (arr Robert Shaw), "The Creation" (Tom Scott), "Victory Song" (Natalie Curtis and other contemporary offerings)



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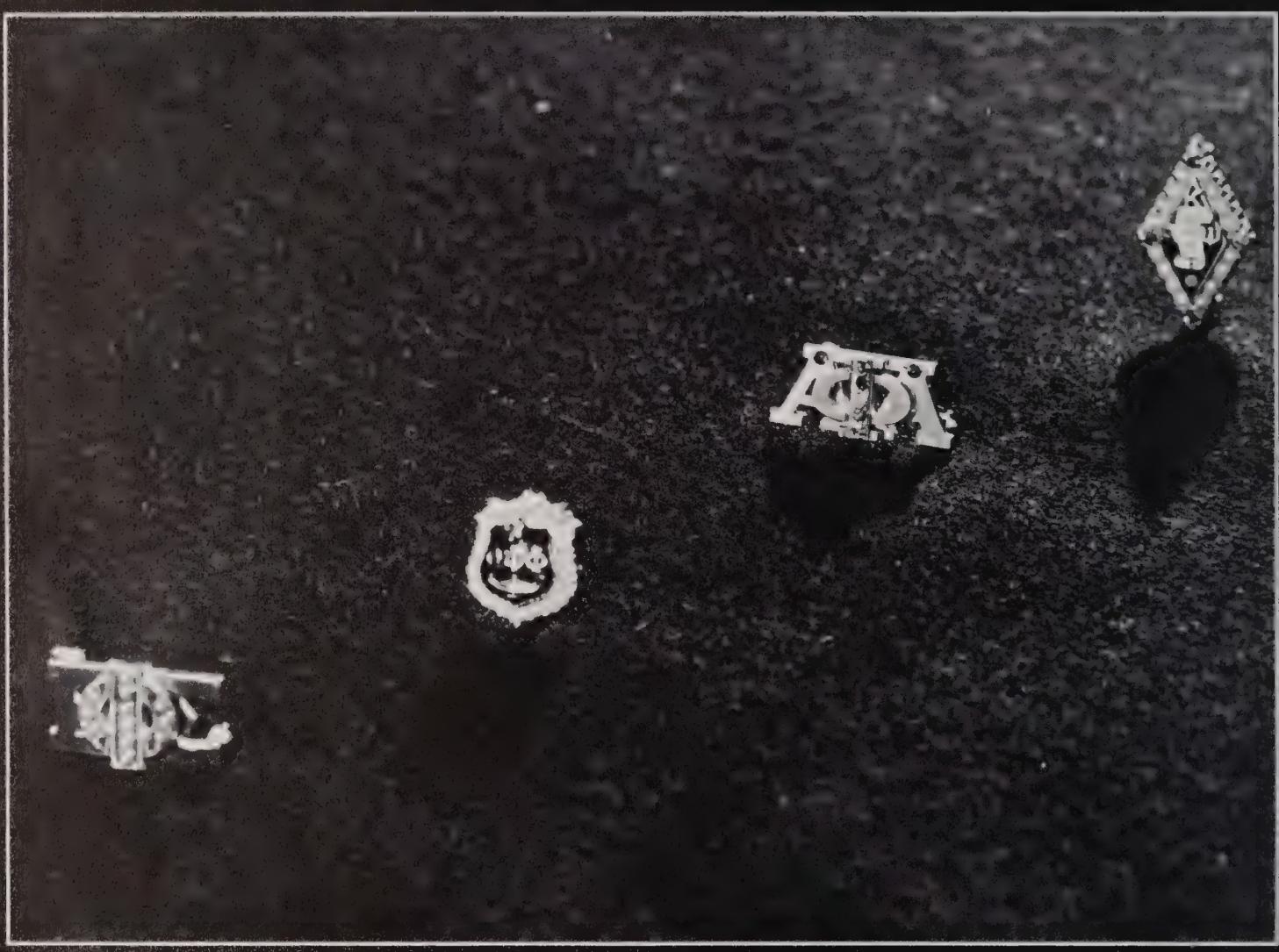
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to the student body, monthly, a resumé of the college

activities. To us, our monthly school publication is the

greatest!!

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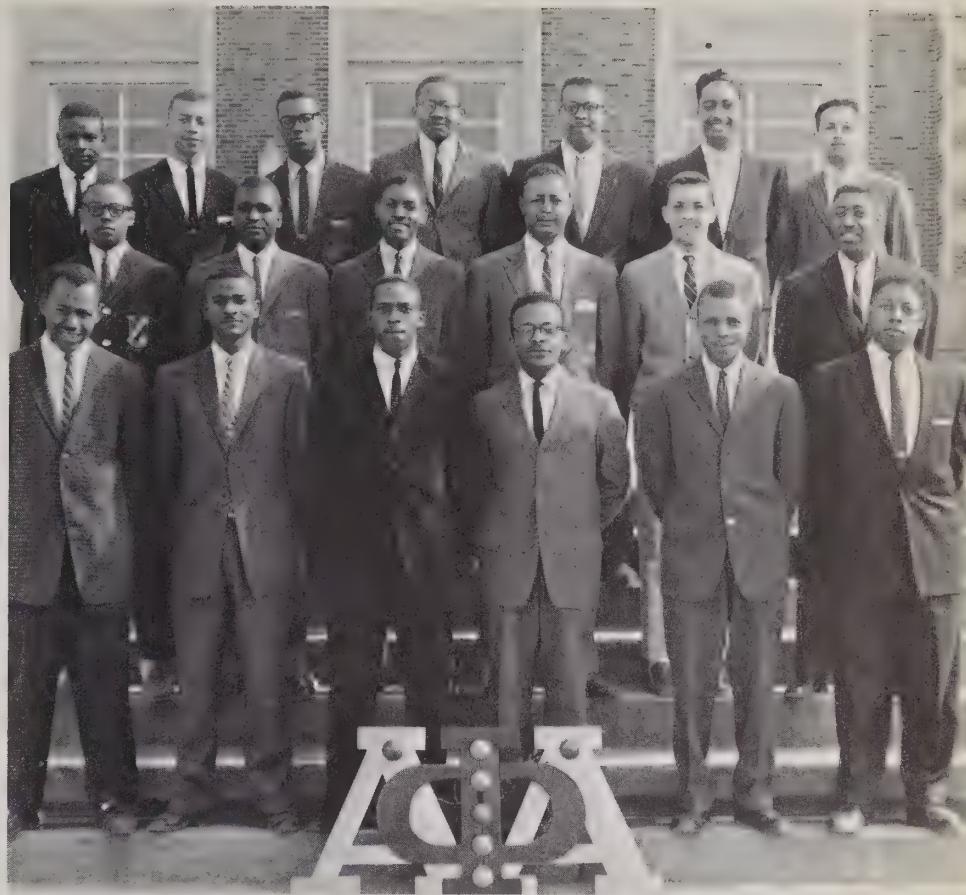


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ALPHA PHI ALPHA

Ever aware of the magnetic appeal of its motto,
 "First of all, servants of all, we shall transcend all,"
 it has been the endeavor of Alpha Phi Alpha to make
 this axiomatic truth a living reality.

OFFICERS

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SPHINX CLUB

The Sphinx Club is the pledge club of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

It acquaints to its future members finer aspects of manhood and
encourages high scholarship.





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LAWRENCE GERST
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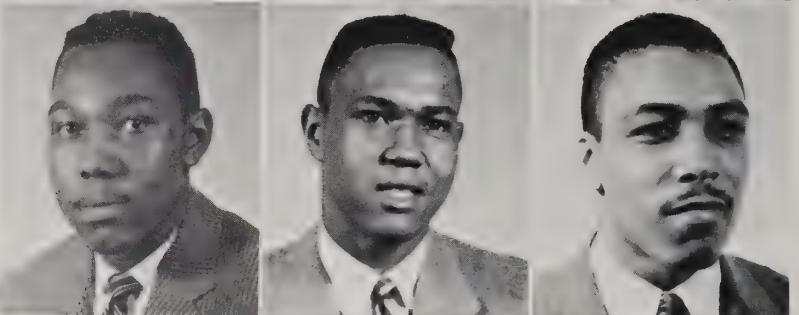
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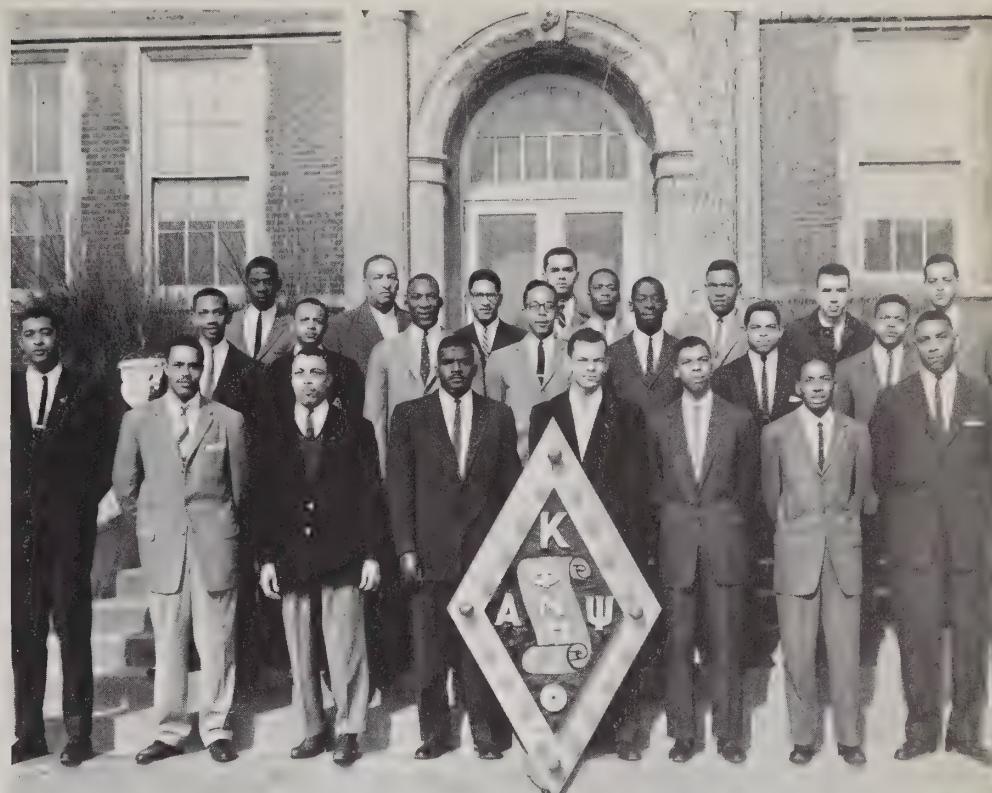
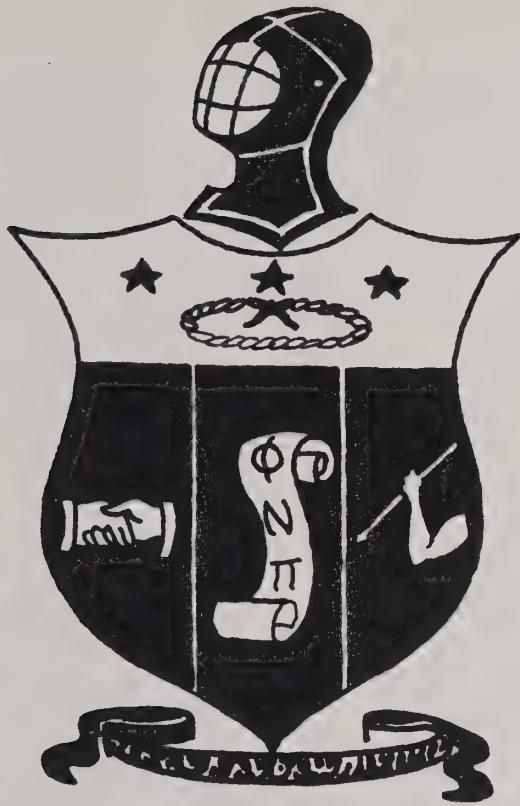


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KAPPA ALPHA PSI

Kappa Alpha Psi is dedicated to the task of achievement in every field of human endeavor.

OFFICERS

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VICE-PRESIDENT	Langley Spurlock
SECRETARY	Lawrence Gerst
TREASURER	Phillip Smith



SCROLLER CLUB

The Scroller Club is the pledge club of Kappa Alpha Psi which prepares its future members for their positions in the world and expressing love for all, regardless to race, creed or color.



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GEORGE COLLINS
JULIAN EFFERSON



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MALCOLM WALLACE
ARTHUR SAUNDERS



RICHARD DICKERSON
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OMEGA PSI PHI

Theta Psi Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity joins their brothers across the nation in holding ever high and steadfast to its cardinal principles of manhood, scholarship, perseverance and upliftance.

OFFICERS

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SECRETARY	Lloyd W. Scott
TREASURER	Newman M. Goldston

LAMPADOS CLUB

This pledge club is trying to acquaint itself with
the organization of the Omega Psi Fraternity, so that
we may become worthy members of the "Mighty
Theta Psi."

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IAN PEARIS

PHI BETA SIGMA

The Alpha Theta Chapter of Phi Beta Sigma
has encouraged the thought of doing for others in
need, regardless to race, creed or color. It also ex-
presses brotherly love for all.

CRESENT CLUB

The Cresent Club is the pledge club of Phi Beta Sigma. It prepares its future members with its standards of manhood and place in society.



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CHARLOTTE MEADE
FRANCETTA GORE



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ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA

The members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority
are dedicated to the high ethical standards of woman-
hood and becoming an asset to the world.

OFFICERS

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members of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority with its high
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DELTA SIGMA THETA

The young women of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority
are pledged to uphold lofty ideas and aiding man-
kind in building a better world in which to live.

OFFICERS

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CORRESPONDING SECRETARY ... Katrina Barksdale



PYRAMID CLUB

The Pyramid Club is the pledge club of Delta Sigma Theta. It prepares its future members for the great task before them as members of Delta Sigma Theta.



ZETA PHI BETA

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority had its beginning at Howard University, January 16, 1920.

At the suggestion of members of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity that a sister organization be established, permission was secured from the President of the University that such an organization be begun. A constitution and by-laws, based upon that of Phi Beta Sigma was prepared, and Zeta Phi Beta was given life as a sister organization to the Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity.

In 1923 Zeta Phi Beta was incorporated under the laws of the District of Columbia. Chapters immediately began to grow in numbers and to cover more territory, and it was soon necessary to group the chapters into regions.

The first Boule was held jointly with Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity in Washington, D.C. during the week of December 25, 1920; the first regional meeting took place in that city in 1927.

One of the outstanding movements of the organization is "Finer Womanhood Week" which helps to express and foster the ideals upon which the sorority was founded. Among the many projects sponsored by the sorority are those which foster recreation, better housing, and the fight against juvenile delinquency.

Zeta Phi Beta participates in the Pan Hellenic Council, the American Council on Human Rights, and the National Council of Negro Women. It gives support to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, the Institute on Race Relations, the United Negro College Fund, the National Education Association and similar organizations in the public interest.

Iota Beta Chapter of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, which was established at West Virginia State College in 1948, is inactive for the present academic year; but it is hoped that this organization will again take its place among similar groups on the campus within the next year.

ARCHONIAN CLUB

The Archonian Club is the pledge club of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.

The ideals of Finer Womanhood, Scholarship and Sisterly Love are forever in the hearts and minds of the members of the Archonian Club.

The present members of the Archonian Club are:

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This is our campus' UN. Why? — Because every
Sorority and Fraternity on the campus is represented
in this organization to create among the Greeks
greater love among one another.

PRESIDENT Richard Payne

VICE-PRESIDENT Charles Lindsey

SECRETARY Deanna Rose

TREASURER Carroll Primas



I'm getting seasick!



Oh, that bright sun!



Dig those crazy legs!

HAPPY HAPPENINGS

Make yourself comfortable!



"Cat" Contest!



What's the word? Thund . . . , Sh, Sh!



MORE OF THE SAME!



FRESHMEN





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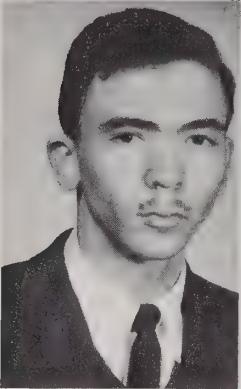
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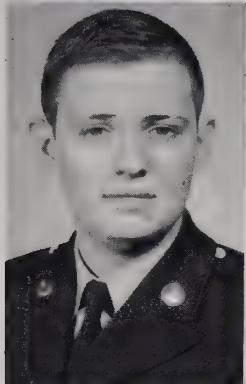
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Willie Helm



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The time is now . . .

FRESHMAN

All this to register?

Mass Confusion





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ACTIVITIES



Mr. Dog, this is Miss Dogette.











ORGANIZATIONS



CONCERT BAND

Miles and miles, the Concert Band has traveled to spread the sound of music to a world of music lovers.





MUSIC EDUCATORS' NATIONAL CONFERENCE

The purpose of these student chapters is to afford students opportunity for professional development while still in school.

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EL CIRCULO ESPANOL



El Circulo Espanol provides an opportunity for the students of Spanish to learn of the customs, music, and history of the Spanish-speaking peoples.





MEN'S GLEE CLUB

Pictured above are the members of the Men's Glee Club, a group which fosters good music through the medium of male voices. The group is directed by Dr. P. A. Williams. Each year the Men's Glee Club go on tour through the Northern States.





A CAPPELLA CHOIR

The A Cappella Choir under the direction of Miss Gladys Johnson, can be heard practicing several days every week. The music employed by the choir is not of the elementary type, and consequently, there is much to be derived from it, not only for the participants but also for the listener.

The choir members have performed for many audiences. They presented a Christmas program in our college auditorium and a spring concert. One of the highlights of the choir is the annual spring tour.





Parlez-vous français, anybody? We are the French speaking group trying to broaden our knowledge of the contributions of France to world culture.



LE CERCLE FRANCAIS



ENGLISH CLUB





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THE NEWMAN CLUB

The Newman Club is a religious organization for Catholic and Non-Catholics who are interested in the program of the Catholic Church. Its members endeavor to promote a closer relationship between Catholics and Non-Catholics, as well as to provide an understanding and respect for religions.





WOMEN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

The Women's Athletic Association has as its purpose the promotion of correct health concepts, the development of an interest in extra-curricular activities, the encouragement of a college intramural program, and fostering high standards of sportsmanship and leadership.



PLAYERS AND MIMES





WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE PLAYERS AND MIMES





SOCIOLOGY CLUB

BETA KAPPA CHI SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY



DEBATING TEAM

The purpose of the Debating Club is to develop interest in contemporary world problems. It prepares the participating students for public speaking. It develops poise, confidence and teamwork. They enjoy many scenic sights as they travel to various schools.



INQUIRERS' CLUB

The Inquirers' Club was organized three years ago (under the sponsorship of Dr. Sarah M. Pereira) and dedicated in its charter to the fostering of the spirit of inquiry. The students who comprise the membership like to think that they support the American principle of freedom of religion and thus they represent a variety of religious backgrounds and seek to discover the virtues and characteristics of world faiths other than their own, in the belief that all great religions have a common origin and a oneness of purpose. Their monthly meetings have included the presentation of filmstrips and guest speakers on such subjects as—Buddhism, Hinduism, Zoroastrianism, Islam, Judaism, aspects of Christianity, and the Baha'i World Faith.





SIGMA DELTA PI

National Spanish Honor Society

PI DELTA PHI

National French Honor Society





PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

The Psychology Club is dedicated to the advancement of the science of psychology and to the maintenance of scholarship in all academic fields.



**"W" CLUB
WESLEY CLUB**





DANCE GROUP

The Dance Group stresses interpretive and creative aspects of art as revealed through motion. Through the medium of ballet, tap, modern and religious dances, the techniques of the dance

as a form of art are revealed. The Dance Group presents an annual recital under the direction of Miss Remitha Spurlock.





INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

The International Relations Club offers students interested in world affairs an opportunity to further their interest. Entertaining

as well as educational, its programs are planned to acquaint the members with world political and economical problems.



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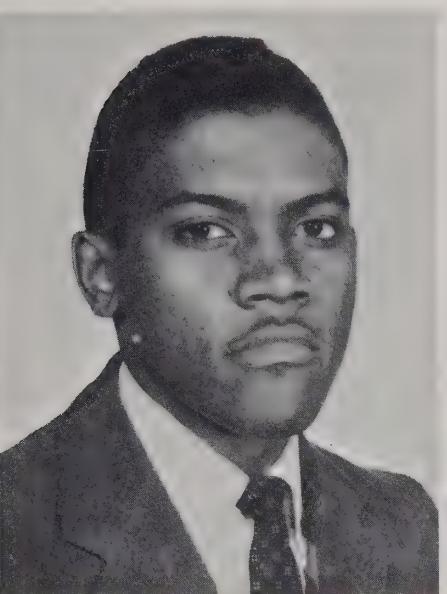
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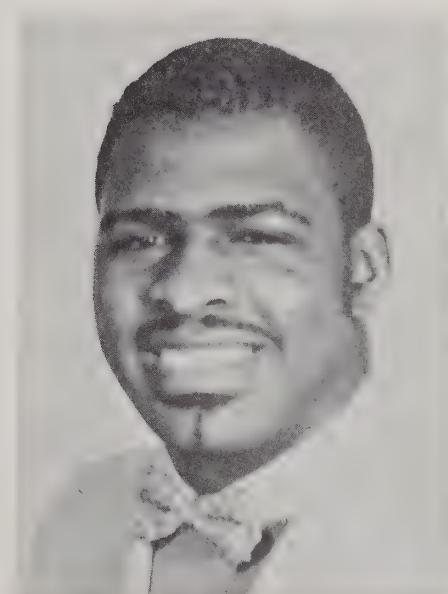
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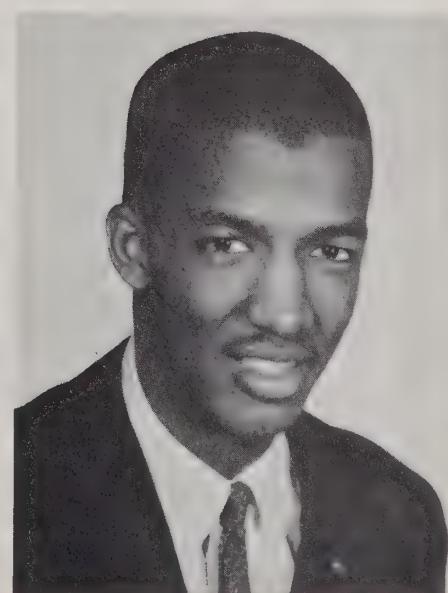
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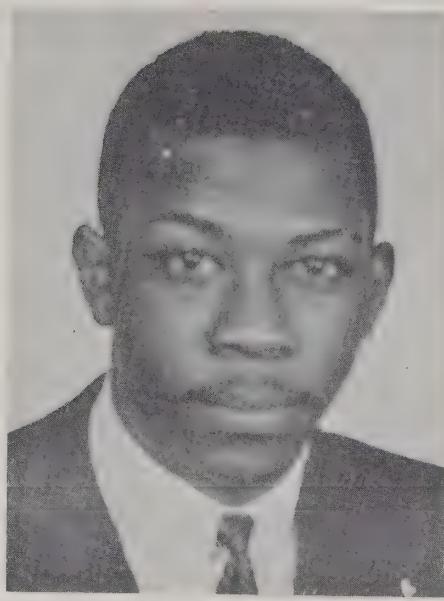
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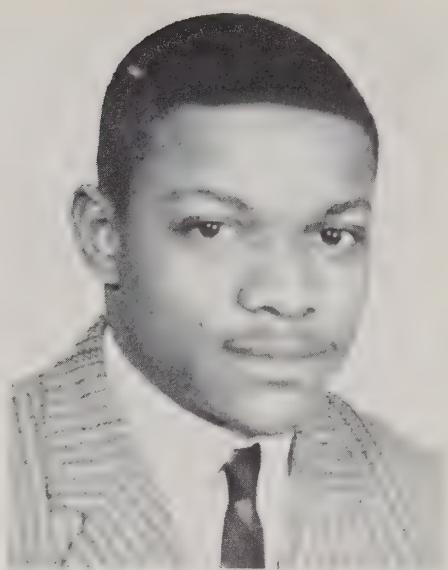
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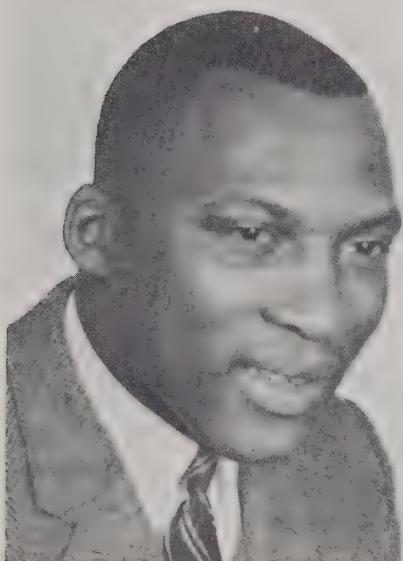
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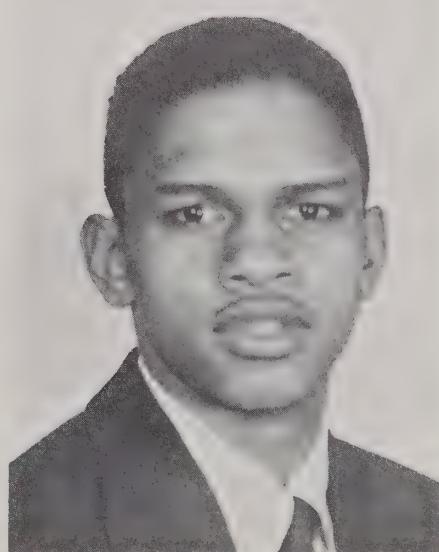
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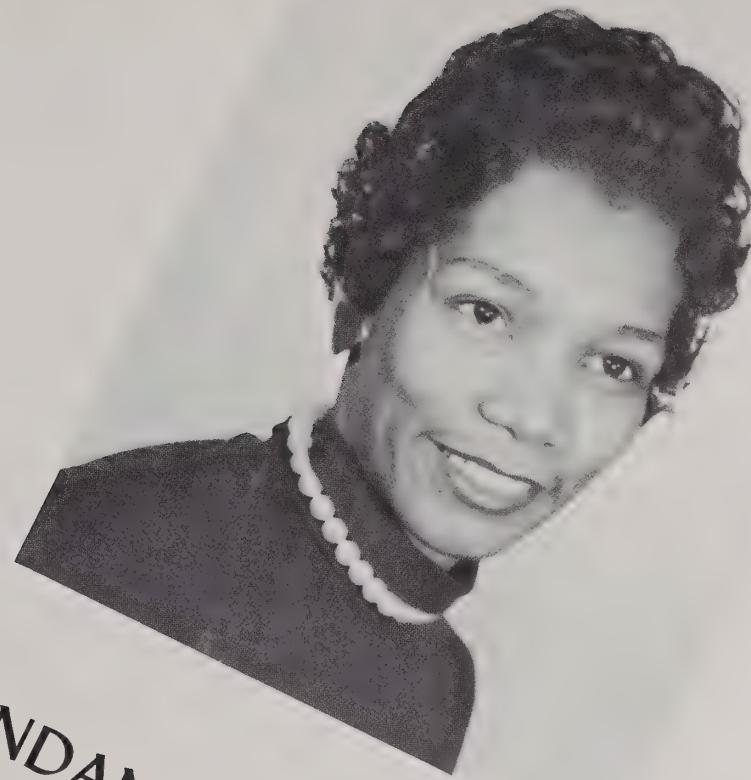


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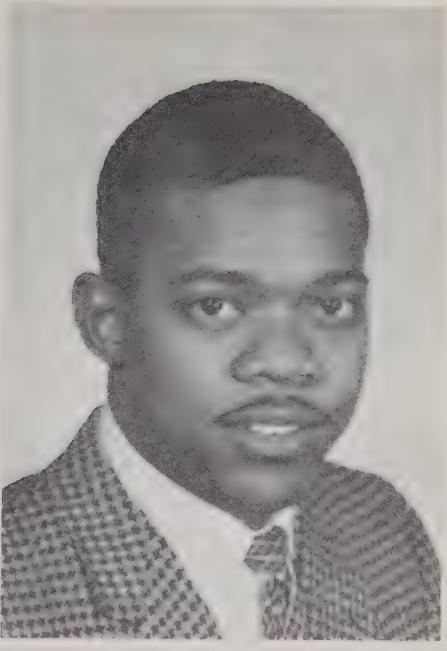
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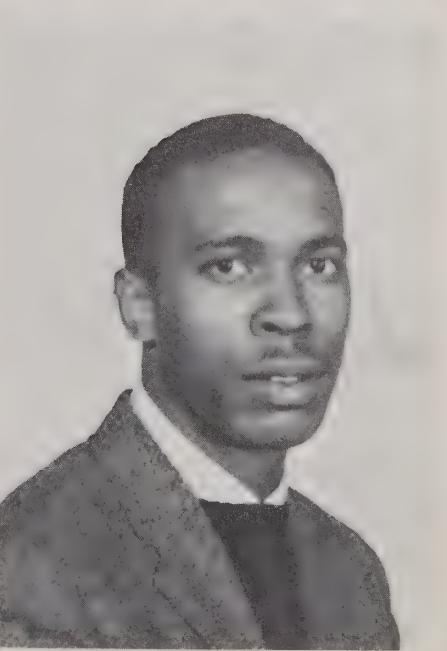
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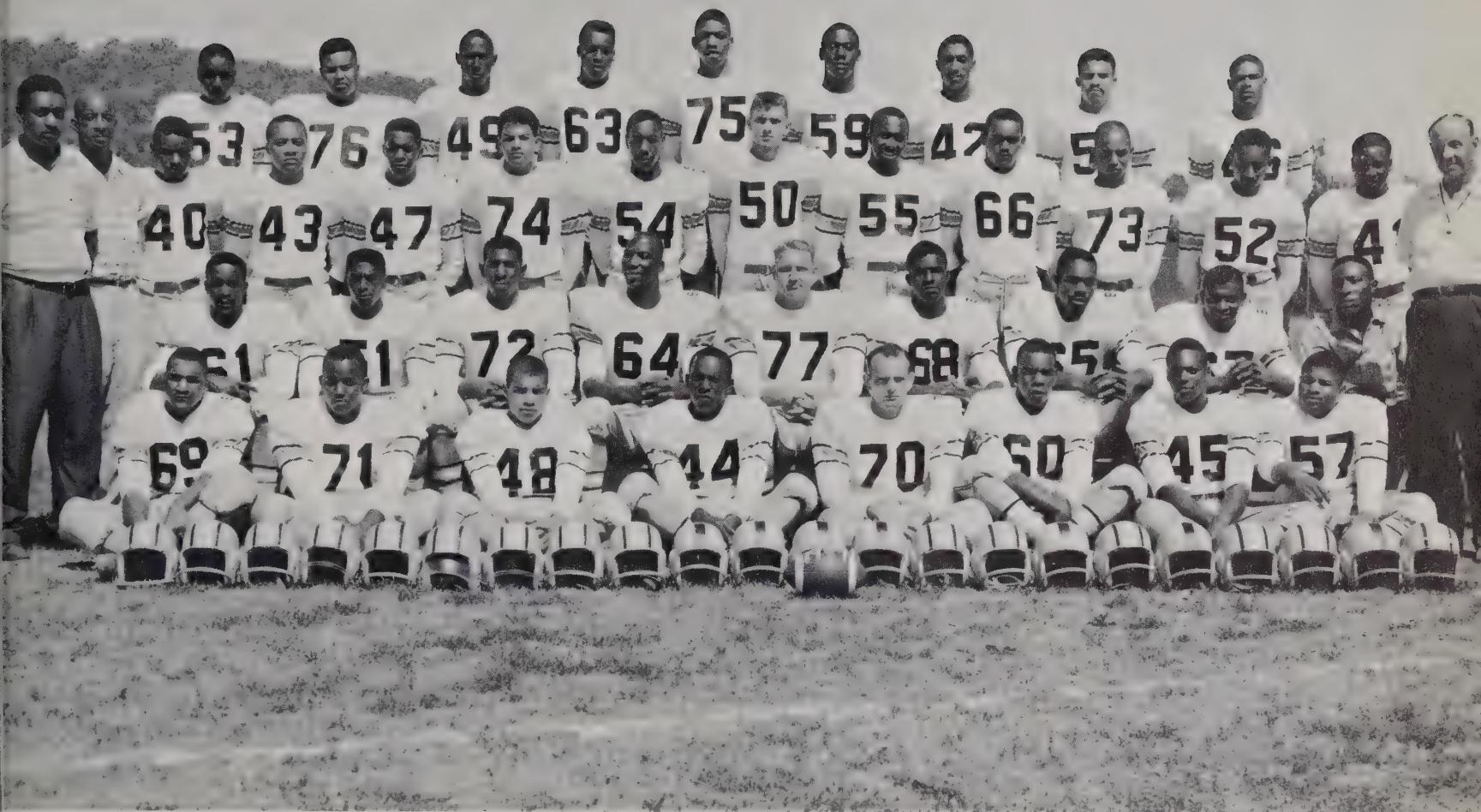
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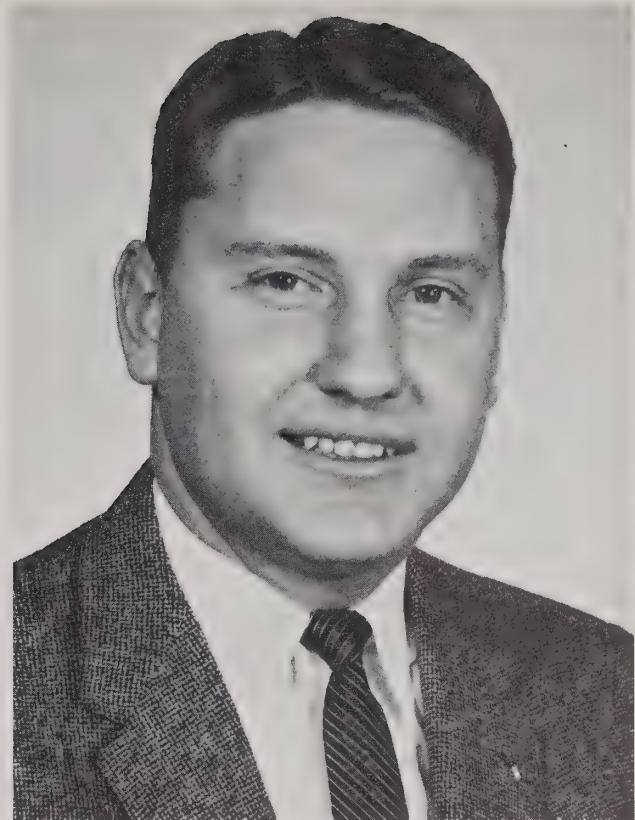
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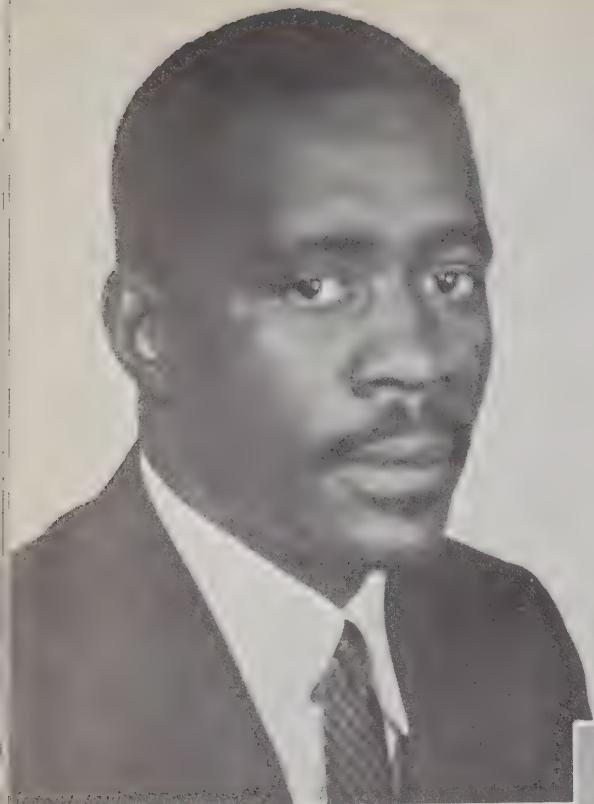
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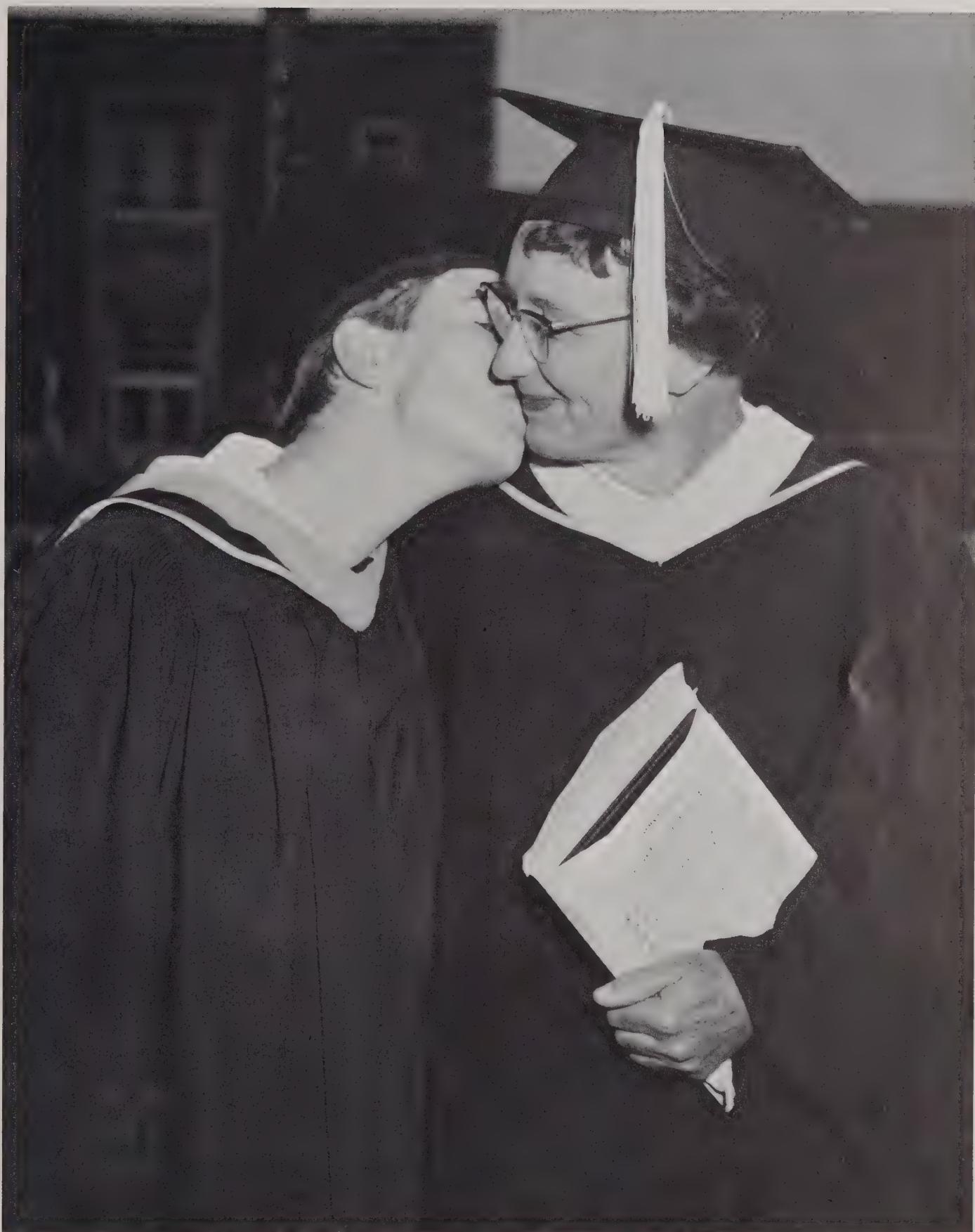
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REFLECTING THOUGHTS

We, the members of the Arch Staff, have tried to depict life at West Virginia State College for the year, 1957-58. For some, it was a year of rewarding experiences, intellectually, socially, and spiritually, which can be noted in the preceding pages. However, it would be unfair to depart from this statement without reflecting in our thoughts those of us who gained nothing whatsoever in this realm. All things are good only so far as they are reflected or compared with some similar situation.

We must ask ourselves, "Was the school year as successful as it could have been had we exerted a little more effort?" In all fairness, the answer would have to be no. How many times have we heard complaints from students who would never, should the opportunity arise, do anything to better the situation? To this, the answer is: many times and no. They could not or would not choose to better the situation.

How many times have we chosen to live in the past, rather than to live with the present and look to the future? The past always looks best, the future hopeful, but the present we shun for fear that we cannot cope with its problems. Our best solution for these problems is to **WAKE UP AND LIVE.**

Here at this institution can be found an educational system that should be considered superior in its kind. There, too, can be found those things which are integral parts of an educational program seeking to develop the well-rounded personality of the individual. It is at this point of reflection that we come to know so very well that the most integral part lacking in our institution is one of unity. A unity which should be as consistent in spirit as is usually found in the group singing of our Alma Mater. This is the type of feeling that should prevail every day throughout the entire school year. If this type of spirit could span the coming year, 1958-59, it would truly be a year to remember and a year in which you may take pride in saying, "I am a member of the **WEST VIRGINIA STATE COLLEGE FAMILY.**







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